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For: NOVEL METHODS OF CONSTRUCTING LIBRARIES
COMPRISING DISPLAYED AND/OR EXPRESSED MEMBERS OF
A DIVERSE FAMILY OF PEPTIDES, POLYPEPTIDES OR
PROTEINS AND NOVEL LIBRARIES
Examiner: Amber D. Steele
Art Unit: 1639

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The undersigned hereby certifies that this document is being electronically filed in accordance with § 1.6(a)(4), on the 8th day of April, 2009.

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Commissioner for Patents

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Applicant requests consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits after the filing of a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114.

No fee or certification is required.

Information Cited

The Applicant hereby makes of record in the above-identified application the information listed on the attached form. The order of presentation of the references should not be construed as an indication of the importance of the references.

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Notwithstanding any statements by the Applicant, the Examiner is urged to form his own conclusion regarding the relevance of the cited information.

An early and favorable action is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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